

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:            Andrew C. Gilbert, et al.  
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Title:                                **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONTROLLING  
TRADERS FROM MANIPULATING ELECTRONIC  
TRADING MARKETS**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action in the present application dated June 19, 2006.

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